THE FAD FOR OLD BLUE

FASHION CARRIES IT TO ALL PARTS OF THE HOUSEHOLD.

-Festivities Just Before Lent.

The craze for old blue is spreading with wonderful rapidity. There is not a table, a cabinet, a room-in short, scarcely a part of a house which has not some of the blue in blue may be a grandmother's which she wove herself years ago, couch or chair cover. To have itself, and the country houses about have been searched for Good prices have been given for has and potteries, for the old patcopied to the minutest detail. The old Holland Delft is a prize only to be found in the great museums of the world. This is the sixteenth century, and the which have survived that time nost sacredly kept under lock and equently introduced on the face of the piece. . Then there is the royal Copenare used about fireplaces. There is Austrian and square and wall pockets and queer figa freshet, with all the which is sailing over the waters is a tiny little chicken. All of the modern potters make old blue, and there are jardinieres of Dolton, plaques of Choisy-le-Roi, animals in Minton, articles in Belleek, made in Trenton (N. J.), Italian, Cauldon plaques, with farm scenes, lamps and globes of German Delft. The story is told of a Hollander, who had four daughters who were in love with four

is a season in mid-Lent when it is considered proper to indulge in pleasure and luxuries. In Eastern cities the middle of March is the time when there are balls, par-ties and various other social affairs for a few days and then the Lenten quiet and solemnity reigns again.

potters. Each potter made a violin of blue china, and these were played on by the grooms at the wedding. The story is not

vouched for, but the fact that there are four

such violins in the museums is true. Blue

and white materials in delft patterns can be bought in all the shops, and they are used for every imaginable useful and orna-

mental purpose. There are many rooms in town that are furnished complete in old blue

At a company not many days ago the hostess provided her guests with cards and pencils, and then the one who could write the most names of the books of the Bible

courses was strawberries. They were served side of the handle a rose was tied with ribbon. Gold forks were used with which to

Pink begonias, which have always been considered pretty, but which have not been fashionable for many years, are coming to nd are being used extensively for table decoration. At a dinner given recently tle waxen bunches of pink and green were strewn over the cloth. For another they formed the frame for a round mirror which another, they were the border of a large, low, round glass dish set on a mirror and in the center was a fernery. Every breath made the begonias move. A young girl recently used begonias for a wreath about her half low corsage, the leaves touching her neck and the pink buds falling over the

Personal and Society. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McLean have gone

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Smith returned Mrs. Frederick Parvin Herron will not re-Mrs. L. G. Millard has returned from a visit to friends in Louisville. The Light Infantry will give a ball at the

Propylacum Saturday evening. Miss Helen Shawhan, of Rushville, is here visiting relatives on Forrest avenue, Mrs. Clarine B. Woodfolk has gone to New York to spend a few weeks with friends. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Bellis have returned from a visit of several weeks in New York.

Miss Lucille Ballard will entertain the card club of which she is a member Tues-Messrs. G. A. Efroymson and Louis Wolf have gone East for a two weeks' business

Mrs. John C. Dean will leave to-morrow for San Antonio, Tex., to be absent in-

Mrs. Perley Bonte Raymond will entertain at luncheon Tuesday at her home in Wood-Mrs. Charles E. Busby will be hostess for a card party to be given on the afternoon

Mrs. Charles Busby will give a Washington's birthday eard party at her home on

Miss Mary Hall, of Knightstown, Ind., is visiting Miss Alice Pillet, of No. 442 Belle-Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Shepard will entertain friends to-morrow evening at their home

Mrs. Frank Wells will be hostess for the Minerva Club, which will have a social meeting Friday evening. Misses Estelle and Orletha Fithian will

give a dinner party to-morrow evening for Mrs. Ovid L. Adams, Mr. Thomas Rodman, who has been visiting Samuel J. Pattison, has returned to his home at Frankfort, Ky. Judge Millard F. Cox will read of "British Fair Play" Tuesday evening at the meeting of the Century Club.

There will be a dance and supper at the German Club house Saturday evening to celebrate Washington's birthday. Miss Bessie Campbell will give a party Wednesday evening in honor of her cous in, Miss Bessie Yohn, of New York, Mrs. Hugh H. Hanna will give a luncheon to twelve Tuesday in honor of her niece

Miss Bella Sharpe, of Helena, Mont. The Minuet Club will be entertained tomorrow evening by Professor Brenneke at his academy on North Illinois street. At the Indianapolis Literary Club, tomorrow evening. Mr. John L. Griffiths will read a paper on "The Real Washington."

Mrs. Arthur Voorhees Brown will hold her second reception Tuesday after 4 o'clock. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Brown will re-

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Milburn will en-tertain a few young people to-morrow even-ing for their guest, Miss Stamp, of Mount Mrs. Aaron H. Blair has issued invitations

for a reception Tuerday at 3 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Lew Wallace and Mrs. Henry Mr. and Mrs. George Haerle are in Los Angeles, and last week they were given a tea by Mrs. Charles E. Kregelo, formerly of

Mrs. A. B. Gates and the Misses Atkins are expected home Tuesday from Ann Ar-

bor, Mich., where they have been since The Minuet Club will dance at Brenneke's Academy to-morrow evening, the Edonens on Tuesday evening and the Orion on Fri-

evening Colonel and Mrs. Lilly will enter-tain their friends who assisted them at their Miss Marguerite Shellhouse, No. 153 East Ohio street, entertained her friends on last Friday evening, this being an occasion of

Naomi Auxiliary, O. E. S., will be entertained at the home of Mrs. W. H. Smythe, 1939 North Capitol avenue, Thurs-Mrs. John L. Greene and Miss Maud B. Greene have arrived from Chicago to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Greene, at 25 West Walnut street.

Mrs. J. A. Milburn will not receive Tuesday afternoon, but Mr. and Mrs. Milburn will be at home to their friends Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Smith, Miss Jo-sephine and Mr. Harold Smith have re-turned from New York, where they have

Mrs. Henry Cornelius Atkins will hold her first reception since her marriage Thursday afternoon, and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Atkins will receive.

The Friday Afternoon Reading Club will meet with Mrs. Ross, No. 505 Central avenue. Mrs. A. Moore will read a paper on "George W. Curtis." Mrs. John W. Campbell will receive in-

formally at her home in Irvington for her guests, Mrs. Charles Yohn and Miss Bessie Yohn, of New York. Mr. H. G. Speliman has returned from Bluefields, Nicaragua, where he has for several years been in the employ of Geo.

D. Emery, of Boston. Mrs. V. H. Lockwood will be at home in formally at 23 East St. Joseph street to-morrow, from 2 to 6 o'clock, for Mrs. and Miss Greene, of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jessie Lovett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lovett, and Mr. Charles Gregory Hubbell, of Danbury, Conn. Mrs. Henry W. Bennett will be at home to-morrow afternoon informally for her guest, Mrs. Roberta Tousey Grepe, of Chi-

cago. There are no invitations. Mrs. R. C. Dain has returned from Pendleton, where she has been the guest of Colonel and Mrs. George W. Parker, for-merly of this city, for five weeks. The Home Missionary Society of Roberts

Park Church will be entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cornelius, on North Meridian street. Mrs. Thomas H. Spann has issued invita-Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur

tions for a luncheon Thursday, Feb. 20, in honor of Miss Stamp, of Mount Vernon, O., the guest of Mrs. Jos. A. Milburn. The ladies of Plymouth Church will give a tea on Washington's birthday, from 3 to 6 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. W. A. Bell, on Broadway, near Butler street.

At the Fortnightly Literary Club, Tuesday, Mrs. Henry Kahn will read a paper on "The Books of the Year." and Mrs. Joss will read of "Our Civic Renaissance." Mr. Arthur Jason Battles and sisters, Misses Cora and Gertrude, of Bethalto, Ill., | Garrick' by the Sheridan Dramatic Club were entertained at tea last evening by their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Howard. The Parlor Club will meet Wednesday Ritter. one on "Cleopatra," by Mrs. Payne, and the second on "Octavius," by Mrs. Mc-

Miss Clothilde Schwartz, of Talbott avenue, entertained a party of friends at progressive cinch Wednesday evening, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Louisa Kunz, of

Brounson Council, No. 272, Y. M. I., will O. Mr. P. give a nightten cald soulad Theshay evening at St. Joseph's Hall. Invitations can Irvington. be secured from Mr. Will Lally, No. 5 North A "wint The Misses Wiegand gave a musicale

last Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Arthur Jason Battles and sisters, Miss Cora and Gertrude, who are visiting their uncle, Mr. Joseph M. Crandall and family, No. 894 North Illinois street. Mrs. Eliza G. Wiley will read a paper on

"The Land of the Cid," Friday, at the Woman's Club. Mrs. J. S. Jenckes will read a paper on "The Spanish Epic," and Mrs. Abby A. Cady will lead the conversa-tion on "Castilian Monuments."

The marriage of Miss Mary Maud Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. Williams, and Mr. Sanford Foster Coons, will take place Wednesday evening at the First Baptist Church. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the family tary, Etta Thompson; treasurer, Richard residence, No. 1044 North Capitol avenue. Yoke. The subject for study and discussion The "Ace of Clubs" was entertained last Thursday evening by Miss Garey, of North Alabama street. Prizes were awarded to the Misses Mattie Comer and Nellie Parmelee, Messrs. John Eckman and Harry Yar-yan. The club will meet Feb. 27 with the Misses Marshall, of 77 West Second street.

Miss Mare gave a valentine party Friday evening, at her home on North Dela-ware street, assisted by Miss Juliet Bohmie. Punch was served during the evening by little "Miss Valentine," dressed in red and white. She presented each guest with hearts, tied with pink and white rib-

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holliday and daughter, expect to remain abroad till October or Kautz. longer. Mr. and Mrs. Holliday will be absent three or four months.

On St. Valentine's night Miss Belle Adler entertained her friends with a dance at the Americus Club. Among the visiting young ladies were Miss Graum and Miss Meyer, from Louisville; Miss Prins, of Marion; Miss Nugass, of New York; Miss

Weil, of Rochester; Miss Romer, of Iowa, and Miss Gaerett, of Frankfort. In acknowledgment of the many courtesies extended by the ladies in recent leap arranged for a dance to be given at the Propylaeum on Friday, March 6. Although no permanent organization has been ef-fected, it was decided to give the dance under the name of the "Danzadores" (The Dancers.) One hundred and fifty invitations have been issued, and many out-of-town

The Woman's Home and Foreign Mission- Miller, proved very successful. In the silary Society of the First Presbyterian houette contest, Miss Anna Williams won Church will hold a praise meeting in the the prize. The profiles were drawn by Mr. parlors of the church Wednesday after- Arthur Carpenter, and were heads of the noon, Feb. 19, at 2:30 p. m. A paper will young ladies present and of the college proe read by Miss Holliday and music by Miss Wheeler, followed by a social hour. The hostesses will be Mrs. John H. Holliday, Mrs. H. M. Foltz, Mrs. H. C. Long | Carpenter, Mr. George Wright, Mr. Blount and Mrs. S. J. Pattison.

The Misses Maud and Stella Gross-Brenner, No. 36 Huron street, gave a valentine party Friday night, in honor of Miss Helen Strawhan, of Rushville. The other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Miss Lelia Furnass, Miss Evelyn Morris, Miss Hattle and Mand Fulmer, Mr. Arthur W. Eaglesfield, Mr. Bert Cole, Mr. Sam Wilkinson, Mr. Finney Dr. Frank Hamilton, Mr. James Fuller

Miss Adelaide Lecklider gave a valentine tea. Friday, to twelve of her classmates. The entertainment included parlor locating hearts and the popular found her place by means of an arrow, on which was inscribed the title of a poem containing the quotation written on her valentine favor, and refreshments, as far as possible, were served in heart shapes. The floral decorations were of palms, tulips

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Buskirk invited a few friends, Wednesday evening, to meet Miss Barnett, of Andover, Mass., and to hear Mrs. H. C. Newcomb read her paper on "Sectional Literature," which was given before the Fortnightly Club in the it. After the reading a Dutch lunch was served. Tulips were the floral decorations. The name cards were Holland types and scenes painted in the Delft blues by the hostess. Besides Miss Barnett and Mrs.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will celebrate their second anniversary Friday evening with an entertainment at the Propylacum. There will be a loan exrevolutionary articles and pictures of noted men and women of that time will be illustrated by well-known soclety people-George and Martha Washington, Abigall Adams and others. Invitations will be issued for the event, which will be a conspicuous entertainment of the season. The committee in charge consists of Mrs. John L. Griffiths, Mrs. James M. Winters, Mrs. William J. Brown and Miss Eliza

The Indiana University Glee Club patron-

esses for Friday evening are Mrs. Thomas Taggart, Mrs. Caleb S. Derny, Mrs. James E. McCullough, Mrs. William D. Bynum, Mrs. Scot Butler, Mrs. Herman Bamberger, Mrs. Jacob Dunn, Mrs. Albert Rabb. ger, Mrs. Jacob Dunn, Mrs. Albert Habb,
Mrs. John B. Elam, Mrs. Meyer Messing,
Mrs. Orange S. Runnels, Mrs. Ernest P.
Bicknell, Mrs. William H. Glascock, Mrs.
Emil Wulschner, Mrs. James L. Mitchell,
Mrs. David K. Goss, Mrs. Geo. C. Harding,
Mrs. Horace N. McKay, Mrs. William W.
Woollen, Mrs. John T. Dye, Mrs. Alexander Woollen, Mrs. John T. Dye, Mrs. Alexander C. Ayres, Mrs. Allison Maxwell, Mrs. Julia H. Goodhardt, Mrs. Herman Pink, Mrs. W. E. Henry, Mrs. Leon Kahn, Mrs. Geo. Hufford, Mrs. Frederic E. Dewhurst, Mrs. Frank Flanner, Mrs. William H. Dye, Mrs. James P. Baker, Mrs. A. B. McGregory, Mrs. Vinson Carter, Mrs. Edgar A. Brown. The annual reception and social of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Roberts Park Church will be held Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cornelius, 521 North Meridian street. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 8. The following musical and literary programme will also be rendered: Instrumental duet, Misses Foudray and Houser; recitation, Mr.

recitation. Miss Lulu Houser, "The Lost Heir;" quartet, People's Church choir-Misses Foerster and Hall, Messrs. Johnson and Behymer-"Yachting Glee;" violin solo, Rudolph Koster, "Cavatina," Carl Bohm; recitation, Harry Green and pupil; plano solo, Miss Mamie Jenkins, (a) waltz, Op. 64, No. 2, Chopin; (b) "The Spinning Wheel," Mendelssohn; vocal solo, Miss Josie Bremerman, selected; vocal duet, Ed Nell and Mrs. Alice Fleming Evans, "Love's Reward."

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Heiliday enter-tained a large number of friends last evening from 5 to 9 o'clock with a reception in honor of their visitors, the Misses Cruft, of Boston, Mass. The spacious pariors were decorated artistically with a variety of fragrant flowers, roses and lilies combined with palms. The dining room was in yellow with spring flowers, daffodils and nar-cissi. Mr. and Mrs Holliday were assisted in entertaining the guests in the parlors in entertaining the guests in the parlors and in serving in the other rooms by Mrs. Joseph K. Sharpe, jr., Mrs. Edson T. Wood, Mrs. Herbert W. Foltz, Mrs. Frederick Kleinschmidt, Miss Corinne Robbins, Misses Elizabeth and Lucia Ray, Miss Williams of Rochester, Miss Woollen and Miss Mary Foster, Among the guests from out of town were Miss Stamp and Mrs. Stanley Grepe, of Chicago. Music was furnished by an orchestra during the reception hours.

Irvington.

Miss Gilbert will go to Rushville this week for a short visit. Miss Georgia Galvin will go to Arcadia this week to visit Miss Hollett.

Miss Beckly, of Bloomington, was the guest of Kappa friends yesterday. Miss Gertrude Moore returned from a month's visit in Greensburg yesterday. The Irvington Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. Frank Tibbott to-morrow after-

Mrs. John Johnston, who has been visiting Mrs. Tuttle, in Columbia City, returned

The Irvington Commercial Club will give a Washington party in their clubrooms on the evening of the 22d. Mrs. J. W. Campbell and Miss Campbell

will receive informally on Tuesday for Mrs. Charles Yohn and Miss Decima Yohn. Miss Dessie C. Yohn, of New York, came on Friday to join her mother, Mrs. Charles Yohn, who is visiting her uncle, Col. J. W. A Washington tea party will be given on

Jenney, on Ritter avenue, to the ladies of the Methodist Church. Miss Annette Seely, formerly of the class of '98 at Butler, who has been spending the pest fortnight with Miss Etta Thompson, will go to Marshall, Ind., on Tuesday.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity has issued invitations for a reception to be given on Friday evening, the 21st, at the house of Miss May Brayton, 616 Broadway, Indian-

Rehearsals for the presentation of "David are being held. The principal characters are taken by Miss Gilbert and Mr. Fred

The recently organized History Club will hold its first regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the hor e of Mrs. Sadie Blount, on ject for discussion is "The Arthurian Leg-

Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Florence Helen Coe and Mr. Eubert Campbell Powers, in Cleveland, O. Mr. Powers is known to a number of Irvington young people, having visited in

A "winter picnic" will be given in the gymnasium to-morrow by a number of the friends of Miss Stover, who returns to her home in Ladoga this week. Tennis and basket ball will be the amusements, after which there will be a luncheon. afternoon, composed of the young women

of the class of '94 at Butler. After the play a dinner was given by Miss Surbey at her home on East South street. The company included Miss Stover, Miss Surbey, Miss Johnson, Miss Belle Moore, Miss Van Syckle and Miss Eliot. The Senior Conversation Club of Butler College met on Thursday evening with Mr.

W. D. Howe, the English instructor, and elected officers as follows: President, Earl Ludlow; vice president, J. S. Butler; secrefor the year is Shakspeare. The Musicale was organized last week

Its initial meeting was on Thursday evening in the Commercial Club rooms. Election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Renna Summers; vice president, Mr. F. Rollin Kautz; secretary, Miss Evelyn Jeffries; treasurer, Mr. Charles Cross; librarian, Mrs. Dan Leslie. The club will meet on next Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moore, on Central avenue. The Christian Endeavor Society gave a valentine social in the Downey-avenue

Church parlors on Thursday. In the afternoon there were special amusements for the children, and in the evening a valentine fair

Rehearsals are in progress for the cantata "Ruth," which will be given in the college chapel the last of this month. The part of Ruth wil be sung by Miss Georgia Galvin, that of Boaz by Mr. Homer Van Wie, and that of Naomi by Mrs. Summers. Soloists are Mrs. Dan Leslie, Miss Ludlow and Miss Myers, and Messrs Settle, Elstun, Tibbott, Shank and Shipps. The chorus consists of some fifty voices.

The men of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity gave a valentine party Friday even-ing to their young lady friends. The Phi hall was prettily decorated in green and white, all the flowers being of white carnations, the fraternity's flower. Various entertainments were employed for the guests' amusement. Valentines in the club colors-blue and white-were matched by cleverly rhymed questions and answers. An auction sale, conducted by Prof. H. T fessors. Those receiving and assisting were Miss Mason, Miss Sweeney, Miss Lulu Bre-voort, Miss Howe and Miss Goe, and Mr. Mr. Lister and Mr. Miller.

MUSIC AND ART.

The finest exhibit of paintings ever brought to this city will be shown Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, at Nos. 18 and 20 North Meridian street. They are a collection of paintings from the Johnson gallery, formerly at No. 255 Fifth avenue, New York. The exhibit is to be open to those holding invitations from 9 in the morning to 9 in the evening. The works curio table. In the dining room each guest | are from some of the most famous painters of the day. Many of them have been shown in the Paris Salon, and a few were at the

One of the noted pictures is "My Pet Cat," by Tito Conti. This is a magnificent thing. It shows a young woman with a white cap holding a cat in her arms. The woman's face is a study as she looks at the cat. which seems just about to spring from her arms. The plush chair on which she sits looks like plush, with its rich shading, and the fabric of the waist and skirt are remarkably reproduced. Over her shoulders is a thin mull, and it is in soft folds, through Newcomb, there were Mrs. George Hitt,
Mr. and Mrs. James M. Winters, Mr. and
Mrs. George Tanner, Mr. Newcomb and cat, its gleaming eyes, its expression and position are faithfully portrayed. Not less so is the coloring of the minutest detail. The picture is valued at \$6,000.

A historical work is "Ludwig XIV Going to the Execution." The picture is by Mel-sel, of Munich. There are many figures in the work, and any one acquainted with history will instantly recognize the several characters. Few of the artist's pictures have ever been shown in this country. "The Mistaken Identity." by G. H. Kotchenreiter, shows an old eating room. In a corner near a table a traveler has seated himself, thrown his knapsack on the floor and called for wine. While sitting there he has fallen asleep. A constable appears with a description of a man whom he is to arrest. H stops to read. One small boy is afraid o him and hangs back. An interested dog peeps from behind a man. The whole family gather in the room, but the man is hidden behind the chimney, and is not seen and the people persuade the constable that the man is not there. The figures, the faces, the attitudes and every part give expression to the story so well told by the artist.
"My Birthday," by P. Massani, shows a toothless old woman, whom some one has given a flower. Her perfect delight in the remembrance speaks in her eyes and every feature of her old face.

A canvas that is full of figures is "Cafe American," by Jean Bernaud. This is late and he starts for home, but before going stops to see how much money he has left. There are all sorts of people in all sorts of positions in the picture, and the light and shade effects are a strong feature

of the work.

Berne-Bellecoure, a pupil who is said to be the successor of Messonier, has a fine bit of figure work in a small canvas, called "On Duty in Winter." It is a French sol-

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WILL CROWD our great Silk Department with buyers from morning until night. Please come as early in the forenoon as possible . . .





Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holliday and daughter, Miss Holliday, will leave this afternoon for New York, and next Wednesday will sail for Europe. Miss Walton, of Cleveland, will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with the evening a valentine fair was well patronized by the church people. Those in charge were Miss Carver, Miss will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with them. Miss Holliday and Miss Walton will go with the church people. The control of the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church people was well patronized by the church people. Since the church people was well patronized by the church peop

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- 69 cents to-morrow for elegant Black Satin Duchess, like usually sold at \$1,25.
- 68c for Black Brocaded Gros Grain you must pay at least \$1 to match elsewhere.
- over twenty styles in this lot.
- 87 cents for the gems of the season. Some of these sold at \$2 a yard. Many beautiful two-toned Satin Brocades in the lot.

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Black Dress Goods

Just out of the Custom House; the newest weaves of the season on sale to-morrow.

40-inch beautiful Brocade Crepe Mohairs at 450 40-inch Double Warp Mohair Skirting for Skirts that will

stand alone 480

40-inch fancy weaves in Mohair 39e 50-inch Thibet Cloth, plain

and figured, the newest for separate skirts...... 78c All-Wool Black Henriettas, like usually sell at 40c to

Novelties open to-morrow in Cecillian Cloth, Serge Mohair, Crepon Mohair, heavy wale Diagonals.

45c. Price to-morrow..... 29c

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The Charles T. Strauss & Bro. Stock,

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The purchase has all arrived, been marked, and will be ready for the sale to-morrow morning at 8:30. Some idea of the enormous Embroidery Stock can be had in the aisle on the right as you enter the store. The Lace Curtains and Curtain Material will be sold on the 3d floor.

Draperies

The entire balance of the Strauss Stock goes on sale to-

Another lot of the Dotted Swiss Curtain material, the 20c kind; to-morrow. 71/20 A lot of fancy Muslin Novelties for Bedroom Curtains; usual price 30c; while they last, at..... About 400 yards Ruffled Muslin, fancy embroidered edges, made to retail at 45c; sale price..... French Cretones, some of them sold up to 60c a yard; your choice while they

A lot of Brussels Curtains, worth \$16 to \$19.50 a pair; sale price for choice. \$6.67 A lot of Irish Point Curtains, imported to retail at \$13 to \$16.50 a pair; sale price.....\$5.75 Scottish Crown Cream Lace Curtains, worth \$6 to \$8; choice while they last, for \$2.75

Silk Curtains

much frequented cafe in Paris, and it is late at night. The man has found the hour 68 pairs of Chenille Portieres, fringed top and bottom; usual price \$4 a pair; Damask Portieres, heavily fringed top and bottom, imported to retail at \$6.75

Embroideries==Thousands of Yards To-Morrow at 25 to 50 Cents on the Dollar

The big stock has been assorted and arranged in tills on the counters so that you can make selections without trouble. See the Irish Point and Point Venese fine Nainsook, Swiss and Cambric Em-

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. you would guess the price to be

10 inches wide, in open work and Point Madera, imported to sell at 35c to 50c a yard. Choice tomorrow, 121/e to 196 Hemstitched India Linen Flouncings, like sells elsewhere at 35c.

Sale price..... 1256 27-inch Seiss Flouncings, hem-stitched and embroidered; would be cheap at 25c. Sale price..... 10c 45-inch Flouncings, deep embroid-ery, with hemstitched or scaloped edges, imported to retail at

65c to 75c a yard. Choice tomorrow, 15c to 250

Mrs. Ell Lilly will not observe her Monday In the Henry Green; vocal solo, Ed Nell (selected): H. P. Wasson&Co. H. P. Wasson&Co.